

bore away for Boston; where  
Joy, and contrary to Expecta-  
tion six Days after. The whole  
train and Mate, were seized and  
Degree, that they were not ca-  
e least Assistance in discharging  
was hop'd would all do well.  
near Stratford in New England,  
three Persons in that Neighbour-  
Death by the Extremity of the  
here this Day Forenight: They  
Canoe a fishing when the Gale  
unable to get from a Marsh,  
they there perished.

N A P O L I S .  
more easy to be observed, than  
of Copper Pence, or English  
penny upon us, and many of  
by which some must sooner or  
Proportional to the Number they  
lately been great Stir and Tumult:  
here they used to go at a Penny a  
ing them down to fourteen for a  
which were good; the vast Quan-  
ad there passing among them, ob-  
use of Whelbarrows and Car-  
its. And, without any great Spi-  
it is easy to foretell, that in this  
be under the like Inconvenience, if  
put to their present imaginary  
being drain'd of good Money, in  
Quantity which is or may be brought  
der this Inconvenience, Fraud, and  
the Reader shall think proper to  
obvious to the meanest Capacity,  
Rance in One Shilling Sterling,  
Eighteen Pence Currency: With  
Currency, or One Shilling Sterling,  
Dozen and Six Eggs, at Four  
their common Price; and, with  
which at best is but Nine Pence  
purchase the like Quantity; a ma-  
ber of Twenty five per Cent, or  
Shilling. As it is much better and  
than to cure, it is submitted to the  
NOW is not the Time, before  
Numbers palm'd upon us, One and  
receive good English Halfpence at  
billings; but as for the bad One  
with Three Pence a Dozen, if any  
In New York, where Halfpence  
for a Shilling, a Pistole passes for  
billings, and a Piece of Eight for  
here every Body knows they pass

ight ago, died at his House on Pa-  
apt. JAMES DUKE, aged upwards  
above 20 Years past was a worthy  
Calvert County, and for some Years  
Justice: A Gentleman beloved and

one Absalom Butler, was com-  
ore County Goal, for the Murder of  
the Temporary Line some Time since,  
aws of his Fist, or other Wounds re-

in Kent County, that one Thomas  
few Days ago, beat a Servant of  
ly that he died a short Time after.  
quest brought in their Verdict Wil-  
Cartwright is absconded. It is  
with much in Liquor, and that Car-  
unk was of a morose, quarrelsome

H of his Excellency HORATIO  
Esq; Governor and Commander  
and over the Province of Maryland,  
es of ASSEMBLY, on Tuesday the  
February, 1754.

of the Upper and Lower Houses of  
ibility of your undergoing any In-  
nces from being convened at this  
would have determined me against  
soon, had not the Receipt of a Let-  
governor of Virginia, made me ap-  
Welfare of this and the neighbour-  
might suffer from any longer Delay.  
he Prospect of seeing our common  
of all the Country adjacent to the  
of these Provinces, his Majesty's  
in Virginia, solicit our Aid to dis-  
tious Enterprise; in the Event of  
which

which, I am persuaded, you will think this Pro-  
vince too much interested not to exert yourselves on  
this Occasion. Left my enlarging on the many ob-  
vious Motives, which must incite you to answer our  
Neighbours Expectations, should be construed to  
imply a Suspicion, for which your late Address on  
the Earl of Holderness's Letter, leaves not the least  
Room, I shall only communicate to you the Let-  
ters which I have received from his Majesty's Go-  
vernors on the Continent, respecting this Affair,  
and also one from the Lords of Trade, whereby  
we, as well as the other Colonies, are required to  
send Commissioners to Albany this Summer, with a  
Prefect to the Indians, as a Means of securing the  
Affections of those People at this critical Juncture,  
when, their being alienated from the English Inter-  
est, would threaten us with the most fatal Conse-  
quences. Your Results on these several Letters, I  
have the most sanguine Hopes, will give the strong-  
est Testimony of your Zeal for his Majesty's Ser-  
vice, and demonstrate you to be truly Guardians of  
the Interest, Safety, and Honour of your Constitu-  
tuents.

To his Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, Esq;  
Governor and Commander in Chief in and over  
the Province of Maryland.

The humble ADDRESS of the Upper House  
of ASSEMBLY.

May it please your Excellency,  
WE return you our unfeigned Thanks for  
your Speech to both Houses of Assembly,  
at the Opening of this Session.

We are convinced nothing would have determi-  
ned your Excellency to have called us together at  
this early Season, but your Zeal for his Majesty's  
Service, and the real Concern your Excellency has  
for the Safety and Protection of his Subjects; we,  
therefore, assure your Excellency, that we shall,  
with the greatest Cheerfulness, submit to any In-  
convenience that may happen, if our Consultations  
prove, in any Measure, conducive to the public  
Good.

The Incroachments of the French, and their De-  
predations on his Majesty's Lands, and the Suffer-  
ings of our Fellow Subjects, give us the greatest  
Alarm, and we should think ourselves wanting in  
our Duty to his Majesty, and our Country, should  
we not give all the Assistance in our Power to re-  
pel the common Enemy, and as one Step towards  
it will be to secure the Affections of the Indians, at  
this critical Juncture, we shall readily concur to do  
what is necessary towards the attaining so desirable  
an End.

B. TASKER, President.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Upper House of Assembly  
I THANK you very kindly for your Address, and  
I am well pleased to see your Concern for the public  
Good, make you submit with the greatest Alacrity,  
to any Inconveniences, for an Opportunity of giving  
Proof of a most laudable Zeal for our Sovereign's  
and the Public's Service.

HOR<sup>O</sup>. SHARPE.

To his Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, Esq;  
Governor and Commander in Chief in and over  
the Province of Maryland.

The humble ADDRESS of the House of  
DELEGATES.

May it please your Excellency,  
WE, his Majesty's most loyal and dutiful Sub-  
jects, the Delegates of the Freemen of the  
Province of Maryland, in Assembly convened, re-  
turn your Excellency our Thanks for your kind  
Speech, at the Opening of this Session.

Though the Time and Season of the Year be  
inconvenient to us, yet we shall cheerfully attend  
the Service of our Constituents.

We will, with a just Regard to his Majesty's In-  
terest, our own Safety, and that of our Neigh-  
bours, consider the several Letters laid before us  
by your Excellency, and we hope the Result will  
be such, as will meet your Approbation, and an-  
swer the Expectations of those we Represent.

P. HAMMOND, Speaker.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Lower House of Assembly,  
I RETURN you Thanks for the Hopes your en-  
larging Address has given me, that the same Prin-  
ciple which induces you to submit cheerfully to the  
Inconveniences therein mentioned, will also animate  
you to contribute to the vigorous Prosecution of an  
Enterprise, on the Success of which his Majesty's In-  
terest, as well as the Safety and Welfare of these  
Provinces, do so much depend.

HOR<sup>O</sup>. SHARPE.

NOTICE is hereby given, That  
the Subscriber will give constant Attendance  
at his Office, in Annapolis, on every Wednesday  
and Thursday before the Tenth of April next, to  
receive all such Money from the Inhabitants of this  
County as is due from them for Public Levies, or  
on any other Account, to

Their humble Servant,  
Nathan Hammond, Sheriff  
of Anne Arundel County.

THE Subscriber hereby gives  
Notice, That he intends to apply to his Ex-  
cellency the Governor, and the Upper and Lower  
Houses of Assembly, for an Act of Insolvency.

1 Falser Hall

Conformable to LAW, 1754.

NOTICE is hereby given, That  
there is in the Possession of Solomon Turner,  
living on Bennet's Creek in Frederick County, taken  
up as a Stray, a small Bay Gelding, branded  
on the off Shoulder and Buttock with TH (Bottom  
upwards, joined in one), has a narrow Blaze in his  
Face, and a small Bell.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving his  
Property, and paying Charges.

JUST PUBLISHED,

(Containing 34 Pages in Folio),  
And to be Sold by the Printer hereof,

THE LAWS made at the  
last Session of Assembly.

Baltimore County, Feb. 18. 1754.

WHEREAS BENJAMIN  
FRANKLIN, Esq; of Philadelphia,  
has constituted me his Attorney in Fact, for the  
Western Shore of this Province, for transacting his  
Affairs: This is therefore to require all Persons  
indebted to him, on this Side of the Bay, to make  
speedy Payment of their respective Debts, else they  
must expect Trouble, from

Their humble Servant,  
2 William Young

MARY SALISBURY,  
PROPOSES keeping SCHOOL  
in Annapolis, at the House where Mr. Sparrow  
lived, near the Church, to Teach young LADIES  
FRENCH, and all Sorts of fine NEEDLE WORK,  
TAPSTRY, EMBROIDERY with Gold and Silver,  
and every other CURIOUS WORK which can be  
performed with a Needle, and all Education fit for  
young LADIES, except Dancing.

N. B. She will take in young LADIES to  
Board, and proposes to open School the 25th of  
March. Those young LADIES who intend to be  
her Scholars, are desired to leave their Names at  
the PRINTING OFFICE.

TO BE SOLD,  
THE Dwelling-House and Lot  
where Robert Gordon, Esq; lately deceased,  
lived; as also the House where Mr. William Thorne  
now lives, and the Warehouses adjoining, with  
all the Improvements on the said Lot, for Sterling  
or Currency, by

2 Agnes Gordon, Ad-  
ministratrix.  
N. B. If the said Houses and Lot, are not soon  
Sold, they will be Let.

Conformable to LAW, X  
NOTICE is hereby given, That  
there is in the Possession of William Herbert,  
in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a small  
Bay Horse, not branded, but has a small Star in  
his Forehead, and his hind Feet are white.  
The Owner may have him again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

COMMITTED to the Custody  
of the Sheriff of Baltimore County, some  
Time in November last, on Suspicion of being a  
Runaway, a Person who called himself John Ben-  
nit; but now says his true Name is Ralph Sincor,  
and that he belongs to one Capt. John Howard,  
living in Virginia. He is of low Stature, Battle-  
Ham'd, Blear Eyed, and a Sawyer by Trade.

His Master may have him, on paying his Im-  
prisonment Fees, and the Charge of this Adver-  
tisement.

William Young.

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ANDREW BUCHANAN,  
PERUKE-MAKER,

HAVING lately purchased a  
large Quantity of all Sorts of the best of  
English HAIRS, will make WIGS of a  
Fashions, from One Guinea to Four Guineas Price  
And any Gentlemen who are pleased to favour him  
with their Custom, may depend on being served  
with Fidelity and Care, by

Their humble Servant,  
Andrew Buchanan.

N. B. Any Wig Makers may be supplied with  
Hairs, by the Pound, or Ounce, by the said Buc-  
hanan, at a very reasonable Price.

Frederick Town, January 1. 1754.

THE Subscriber hereby gives  
Notice, That he intends to apply to his Ex-  
cellency the Governor, and the Upper and Lower  
Houses of Assembly, for an Act of Insolvency.

Thomas Reynolds.

RAN away from Baltimore-  
Town, in Baltimore County, on Tuesday the  
5th of this Instant February, one Martin Hausman,  
a Dutchman, by Trade a Shoemaker, is about 30  
Years old, of a middle Size, a swarthy Com-  
plexion, has short black curl'd Hair, has a cast in  
his Eyes, and speaks very much. Had on when he  
went away, a grey Forest Cloth Coat with white  
Metal Buttons, a red Worsted Damask Jacket, a  
Pair of black Leather Breeches with black Glass  
Buttons, a Pair of blue Worsted Stockings, and  
new Pumps. He took away a small Grey Horse,  
branded on the left Shoulder T, and a black Lea-  
ther Saddle with a yellow Leather Housing. He  
is supposed to be gone over Potomack. Whoever  
takes up the said Man, and brings him to the Sub-  
scribers, shall have Ten Pounds Reward.

Vitus Hartway.  
Andrew Stiger.

To be Sold, for ready Money, or  
short Credit.

THREE Lots of Ground, ly-  
ing in Annapolis, and at present in the Pos-  
session of Mr. Richard Burdus, with the Dwelling  
House and Out Houses, and all the other Improve-  
ments, such as Paling, Fencing, &c. which at  
present are in good Repair.

For Title and Price apply to  
Robert Swan.  
N. B. The Houses and Lots being formerly  
leased out at Twenty five Pounds per Annum, there  
are six Years of which yet to come.

February 5. 1754.

THE Subscriber having farmed  
his Lordship's Quit Rents, which have arisen  
and shall arise due in Anne Arundel County, from  
the 29th Day of September last 'til the 29th Day of  
September, 1755, doth hereby give Notice, That  
he will attend in the back Room of the Paper  
Currency Office, during the sitting of the Provin-  
cial Courts, Assize Courts, and County Courts, to  
receive the same. His Lordship's Tenants are  
therefore desired to be punctual in their Payments,  
forasmuch as he has contracted to account with his  
Lordship's Agent every Half Year, he will be  
obliged to take all legal Ways and Means for the  
collecting of the Rents as they become due.

Richard Dorsey.

To be Sold by the Subscriber, li-  
ving near the Dock, in Annapolis.

BOLTED FLOUR at 16 s.  
per Hurdred, COFFEE at 2 s. per Pound,  
and Muscovado SUGAR at 8 d. and 9 d. per  
Pound.

William Elton.  
N. B. He gives ready Money for all Sorts of  
Hairs.

Conformable to LAW,  
NOTICE is hereby given, That  
there is at the Plantation of Joshua Bond, in  
Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a small  
Bay Mare, with a Blaze down her Face, and her  
near hind Foot white.

The Owner may have her again, on proving  
his Property, and paying Charges.

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